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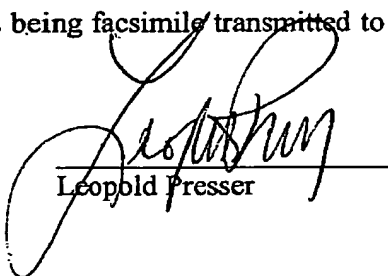
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Applicant:** Eric Duchesne, et al.**Examiner:** Christy L. Novacek**Serial No.:** 10/665,997**Group Art Unit:** 2822**Filed:** September 18, 2003**Docket:** END920030026US1 (16594)**For:** ELECTRONICALLY GROUNDED
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully requests that the present amended claims be filed concurrently with the submission of the attached Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for this application:

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